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***EAST GREENSBORO RESIDENTS ENJOY NEW WATER SUPPLY, “TANKS” TO THE CITY***

**GREENSBORO, NC (May 10, 2004)** – City of Greensboro Water Resources officials continue to build and expand infrastructure systems with the installation of their newest water tank at 5935 Knox Road in McLeansville. The elevated water storage tank, constructed by Landmark Structures, LP, will stand approximately 226 feet tall and hold 1 million gallons of water to supply customers in eastern Greensboro and for operation with the City’s connection to the Burlington Water System. The tower is scheduled to be hoisted on May 19 or 20, weather permitting.

Landmark Structures, LP, an industry leader in the design and construction of elevated water storage tanks, will hoist the 91 ton tank into place using two cranes and 24 hydraulic jacks in a five-hour procedure. Once secured, construction on site will continue with electrical and mechanical systems paving way for the tank to become operational later this year.

Elevated water tanks provide a reliable method of water storage and improved water system operation. These tanks provide the community with an adequate supply of water available at uniform pressure without reliance on power. This in turn allows for a reduction of peak demand pumping and an effective flow capacity, while efficiently balancing community water pressures. The latter saves the city money and protects the community.

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